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Suit Styles Are Settled-- How Do These Strike You?

April 4th—then Easter. It's hurrying this way with every tick of the clock. Easter clothes are the all-absorbing topic of conversation among women. "What to wear?" "Where to buy it?" are the questions in thousands of minds.

It is not out of place to mention here that our stocks of spring apparel were never more complete and our service pitched to a 100% efficiency point of helpfulness.



This Spring Suit \$19.50
This Spring Suit \$24.50
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A smart, tailored suit, of black and white checked worsted; loose fitting, four pockets, beautifully lined with silk; skirt straight, no effect with belt; flared bottom.



This Spring Suit \$24.50
This Spring Suit \$29.50
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Of poplin; flared coat, lined with silk; skirt straight, no effect with belt; flared bottom.

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No longer will the large women have to give up the smart lines of the regular sizes. We have provided special models that are as smart as can be! \$24.50 and \$34.50.

Odd Size Suits for Women Hard to Fit, \$29.50

Entirely new ideas: of poplins; in black and navy blue; sizes 37 to 55.

Spring Suits for \$16.50

The style illustrated is a jaunty model; high waist line with belt; fastened with one button; cloth and silk collar; full flare circular skirt. It comes in navy blue, Belgian blue, sand and green French serge, or black and white shepherd checks. Sizes 13 to 19 years.

Misses' Spring Coats \$7.98 to \$17.50

Of tweeds, poplins, black and white checks and mixtures; full and semi belt effects; high or regular waists; many are trimmed with self materials and buttons. Sizes 14 to 20 years.

Misses' Suspender Skirts \$4.95

Of black and white checks and blue and black serges; suspenders are made of the same material to match the skirt. Can be worn with any sort of a blouse. It's very chic and real different.

Hecht's
Seventh Street

RULES ON ALLOWANCE FOR INDIAN SERVICES

Controller Downey Interprets Resolution of Congress Extending 1915 Appropriations.

What appropriations made for the fiscal year 1915 are available in 1916 as balances unused and continued, or as renewed appropriations, under the joint resolution of Congress March 4, continuing and making available appropriations for current and contingent expenses of the bureau of Indian affairs and for fulfilling treaty stipulations, are defined by the controller of the Treasury, George E. Downey, in a decision rendered yesterday.

For support of Indian day and industrial schools \$1,600,000 is available. An appropriation for 1915 to provide school facilities for the Papago Indians of Arizona lapses.

Any unexpended balance of the ten-

THOUSAND-DOLLAR APPROPRIATION FOR RELIEF OF DISTRESS AMONG SCANDINAVIAN INDIANS OF FLORIDA IS AVAILABLE.

Reinforcement of bodies of dead Indians from a Chippewa burial ground in Wisconsin should have been expended in the year for which appropriated, and is no longer available. For purchase of lands for homeless non-removal Mille Lac Indians any part of \$40,000 unused in 1915 can be expended in 1916. For promoting civilization and self-support among Chippewa Indians in Minnesota the annual appropriation of \$160,000 is regarded as re-extended.

The Choctaw and Chickasaw Hospital to be built, and constructed and maintained during 1915, with a fifty-thousand-dollar appropriation, was certainly intended by Congress to be maintained in 1916. So Controller Downey, not defining the amount, decides that the funds necessary for maintenance in 1916 are available.

A provision of \$300,000 for promoting of civilization and self-support among confederate bands of Indians is re-

DENIES SPAIN HARBORS DESIGNS ON PORTUGAL

Foreign Minister Criticizes Press for Distorting Facts—Absolute Neutrality Policy.

MADRID, March 27, via Paris, 9:10 a.m.—Marquis de Lema, the foreign minister, has come out in open and severe criticism of that portion of the Spanish press which is conducting a campaign against Portugal.

These newspapers, the foreign minister declares, are willing to distort facts, a course which in time is bound to destroy the amicable relations existing between the two countries.

Under Colors Three Months. After the cabinet meeting yesterday Premier Dato declared that the call of 30,000 men to the colors was merely the carrying out of established requirements.

APACHE RESCUES QUICK TIME.

Schooner Stranded in Black Walnut Cove Pulled Off.

On her way up the bay from a Virginia point with lumber for Baltimore, the bay schooner Quick Time, Capt. Simpson, stranded in Black Walnut cove, near Tilghman's Island, Md. She remained hard and fast on the shoals until the coast guard cutter Apache pulled her into deep water. As the schooner was leading badly, the Apache took her in tow to Baltimore. As soon as sight she will be hauled out to repair damage. The Quick Time was here with lumber from North Carolina for local dealers two weeks ago.

Suffrage Meeting Postponed.

Headquarters of the Congressional Union for Women's Suffrage announced yesterday that the meeting at the home of Mrs. Nevill Monroe Hopkins scheduled for tonight has been indefinitely postponed.

MALLORY LINER DENVER VICTIM OF FIERCE GALE

Storm Started Flares Amidship and Put Out Boiler Fires, Members of Crew Say.

NEW YORK, March 27.—Capt. Frederick Avery of the American steamer Denver, which was abandoned March 23 after wireless calls had brought rescuing steamers to her aid, arrived today with Mrs. Avery and thirteen members of his crew on the steamer Megantic. Capt. Avery declined to talk of the loss of his ship until he could consult his owners, but from members of the crew it was learned that the Denver had been abandoned, and that for two days the fires under the boilers had been out.

Twice Wrecked Master.

Capt. David T. Smith of the American steamer Evelyn, which was sunk by a mine in the North sea, was brought to port on the Megantic. Other members of the Denver's crew were saved by the steamer Manhattan, now on her way here.

From members of the crew of the Denver on board the Megantic it was learned that the cause of the ship's plight probably was due to the giving way of some plates amidship, following a storm of exceptional violence through which the Denver had fought her way.

The leak was discovered the afternoon of Sunday, March 21, the members of the crew said, and thereafter the water gained rapidly. Monday morning the fires under the boilers were extinguished, and wireless calls for assistance were then sent out.

Answers were promptly received from six different ships that were within reach of the call. The steamship Manhattan reached the Denver at 1:30 the afternoon of the 23d, within half an hour the St. Louis hove into sight and she soon followed by the Megantic.

The sea was still running high then, and while the Denver's boats were taking the crew to the Manhattan the St. Louis circled around the sinking Mallory liner, spreading oil on the turbulent water.

Capt. Avery, his wife and Capt. David T. Smith of the Evelyn were in the last boat that left the Denver. Capt. Smith said the Denver could not have remained afloat for more than two hours after he left her, as the forward decks were awash and she was listed so badly that her hull was under water.

To Capt. David T. Smith, who was a passenger on the Denver, fell the experience of being shipwrecked twice in a single voyage. He was master of the American steamship Evelyn that hit a mine and went down off the Rockum Islands February 19, while bound for Bremen with a cargo of cotton.

St. Louis Oiled the Sea.

More Money Needed, However, to Carry on Charitable Work.

When the funds for Belgian relief were started last fall it was thought by some people that Americans in need of charity would suffer as a consequence. But the results have shown that the people of Washington have contributed generously to many charities beside the Belgian relief.

The joint finance committee of the Associated Charities and Citizens Relief Association made an appeal through the papers a week ago for "the Belgian" at our door. Since that time, in round numbers, \$1,300 in cash and pledges has been sent in answer to this appeal. Though warmer weather is approaching, people are still in need of food and clothing, shelter and medical care, and a host of other services for which they come to these organizations.

To give them this through the next six months \$600 is still needed. The joint finance committee, under the leadership of Milton E. Ailes, its chairman, is backing up its personal effort the appeals of its committee. The officers have a lean appearance. The committee, through Concoran, Thom, Milton E. Ailes and William J. Flather, appeals urgently for help in raising the balance of this amount.

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MM. CALVE AIDS BELGIANS.

Visits Donation Shop, Buys Hat and Autographs Trinkets.

Mme. Calve visited the Donation Shop, which is being conducted by the Associated Charities and Citizens Relief Association, for the support of Belgian refugees in France yesterday. She tried on all of the hats that have been trimmed by society leaders here and bought one of them, which had been made by Mrs. Lawrence Townsend. She also autographed a number of trinkets that were on sale.

The visit of Mme. Calve attracted a large attendance at this curio shop, and trading was brisk. Over \$2,000 has already been realized. The committee in charge hopes to increase the amount to \$3,000 by Wednesday night. That day an auction will be held, beginning at the afternoon, and all donations on hand will be sold off.

TELLS OF MOTHER'S LIFE.

Mrs. Norris Gives Memories of Mrs. Mary A. Livermore Before Club.

Memories of her mother, the late Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, writer, lecturer, clubwoman and suffragist, were related by Mrs. Henrietta L. Norris before the Federation of Women's Clubs at the Public Library yesterday. One of the characteristics of her mother which Mrs. Norris emphasized was her strong belief in immortality.

She related experiences of her mother in editing a woman's magazine in Boston and of visits to the office of notable literary lights of the day, such as Oliver Wendell Holmes. She also spoke briefly of her mother's characteristics and of the devotion between the couple.

Mrs. Norris exhibited a number of photographs of her mother and several letters written by her, which she read in connection with her address. Mrs. Ellis Logan, president of the federation, presided.

PAY FOR PLAZA PROPERTY.

Two Parcels Taken Over Yesterday by the Commission.

Checks were paid out by the commission of awards yesterday for the acquisition of two parcels of real estate in the contemplated extension of Union station plaza. Over \$50,000 has so far been paid out by the commission.

The property acquired: Lot 2, square 723, W. H. Hensberger, \$5,500; lot 22, square 722, Denison P. Rowell, \$5,050.

Entertainments for the Blind.

Senior Gov. Thomas Welles Chapter, Children of the American Revolution, and scholars to entertain at the National Library for the Blind, 1725 H street northwest, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of recitations, songs, piano, guitar and mandolin music. Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the entertainment will consist of a reading by Mrs. M. W. Atwater.

BORN.

CRAIG. On Saturday, March 27, 1915, to Donald A. and Elizabeth M. Craig, a daughter ELIZABETH MARIE CRAIG.

DIED.

CORRELL. On Friday, March 26, 1915, at United States Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., Lieut. ANTHONY J. CORRELL, U. S. N. Funeral services Sunday, March 28, at 3 p.m., at Naval Academy Chapel, Baltimore and New York papers please copy.

DIVINE. On Saturday, March 27, 1915, at 10:30 a.m., at the Ashland Avenue Episcopal Church, daughter of the late Benjamin and Elizabeth Divine. Funeral from Gawler's chapel Monday, March 29, at 3:30 o'clock. Interment private.

DYKES. Suddenly, on Saturday, March 27, 1915, at 10:30 a.m., at the home of his wife, Mrs. J. H. Dykes, in the twenty-ninth year of his age. Funeral from Gawler's chapel Monday, March 29, at 9 a.m. Friends invited. Interment Friday, March 29, at 2 p.m., at Decatur, Ill.

HAINSBURGER. On Saturday, March 27, 1915, at noon, at his late residence, 1226 Massachusetts, ANTHONY HAINSBURGER, beloved husband of LENA HAINSBURGER, deceased. Funeral services at the residence of Mrs. HAINSBURGER, 1226 Massachusetts, Monday, March 29, at 9 a.m. Friends invited. Interment Friday, March 29, at 2 p.m., at Decatur, Ill.

HOLTZMAN. On Friday, March 26, 1915, at 11:14 a.m., Mrs. FRANCES J. HOLTZMAN, widow of the late John F. Holtzman, Funeral services at her late residence, 3009 Cambridge place northwest, Monday, March 29, at 10 a.m. Interment at Oak Hill.

LEWIS. Suddenly, on Friday, March 26, 1915, at 9 p.m., at his residence, 338 C street northwest, MORRIS LEWIS, Funeral services on Monday, March 29, at 2:30 p.m., at Talbot's chapel, 445 7th street southeast. Burial at Oak Hill.

MINGOUE. On Friday, March 26, 1915, at 12 o'clock, MARY M. MINOUE, aged nineteen years. Funeral from her sister's residence, Mrs. George W. Mingo, 530 26th street northwest, Monday, March 29, at 9 a.m. Burial at St. Stephen's church, where high requiem mass will be sung for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

STRICK. On Saturday, March 27, 1915, at 12:30 a.m., at the Hotel Richmond, Richmond, Va., FRANK D. STRICK. Funeral services will be held at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, March 29, at the residence of Mrs. Strick, 1014 14th street northwest. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

UPPERMAN. On Friday, March 26, 1915, at 10:30 a.m., ALMA, beloved wife of the late Robert Upperman. We did not want the pain you bore. We only know you went away. And never said goodbye.

VENNY. The members of John F. Cook Lodge, No. 19, F. A. A. M., are requested to meet at Masonic Temple, 10th street and Indiana avenue, southeast, on Monday, March 29, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of BENJAMIN VENNY, who departed this life on Friday, March 26, 1915, at his residence, 810 20th street southwest. Funeral from Friendship Baptist Church, 1st and H streets southwest, at 1 o'clock Sunday, March 29. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

WARD. Departed this life on Thursday, March 25, 1915, at 4:15 a.m., after a long and painful illness, which he bore with Christian fortitude. He is the son of William Ward and Mary Ward, nee Johnson. He was a member of the 1st Separate Battalion, U. S. G. D. G., beloved husband of Rebecca Ward and father of William Ward. Funeral from the residence of his wife, Mrs. Ward, 11th and Y streets, Sunday, March 29, at 2:30 p.m. Friends invited to attend.

WINSHIP. On Saturday, March 27, 1915, after a brief illness, JOHN SAMUEL WINSHIP, Funeral from his late residence, 2801 14th street northwest, Monday, March 29, at 3 p.m. Interment private.

WOOD. On Thursday, March 25, 1915, at 8:30 a.m., in the 65th year of his age, WILLIAM S. WOOD, beloved husband of Lillian M. Wood (nee Elliott), is the son of John W. Wood and Mary W. Wood. He was a member of the 1st Separate Battalion, U. S. G. D. G., beloved husband of Rebecca Ward and father of William Ward. Funeral from the residence of his wife, Mrs. Wood, 11th and Y streets, Sunday, March 29, at 2:30 p.m. Friends invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM.

CAMPBELL. In loving remembrance of my dear mother, ADELINA CAMPBELL, who departed this life four years ago today, March 28, 1911.

Four years have passed, my heart's still sore; As time goes on I miss her more. Her memory is as dear as today. As in the hour she passed away.

BY HER DEVOTED DAUGHTER, ELLA J. CAMPBELL.

MOYER. In loving remembrance of our son RAYMOND FOX MOYER, who passed away March 25, 1915.

So I am waiting quietly every day. Whenever the sun shines bright, I smile and say, "Surely it is the shining of his face." And look into the gates of this high place.

By her loving mother, MRS. J. A. MOYER.

For I know he is coming shortly. To summon me. And when I stand before the windows of the room. Where I am waiting at my appointed task. I lift my head and watch the door and ask: "Is he coming?"

And the angel answer sweetly, in my home— Only a few more minutes and he will come.

FATHER AND MOTHER.

PERILL. In sad but loving remembrance of my dear husband and our father, J. K. PERILL, who left us seven years ago today, March 28, 1908.

BY HIS LOVING WIFE AND CHILDREN.

RANDALL. In sad remembrance of my dear wife, ELEANOR A. GRUBBS RANDALL, who died two years ago today, March 28, 1913.

I often sit and think of thee. When I am all alone. For memory is my only friend. That grief can call its own.

BY HER DEAR HUSBAND, ROBERT A. RANDALL.

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Latest Norfolk Models. Embroidered Belts and Collars. Fancy-back Coats. High-belted Effects.

The Suits are duplicates of the most expensive garments—the most recent productions for Easter—and are tailored to allow the most critical inspection. Lined with guaranteed satin and pearl de cygne. Black and all colors—SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

Opening Special in Our New Boys' and Children's Clothing Department

Boys' \$5 Blue Serge SUITS \$3.98

Sturdy, Handsome Suits of all-wool, fast-color blue serge in newest pleated Norfolk style, with stitched-on belt and patch pockets, full knicker pants, lined throughout; extension waistband and belt loops; sizes 7 to 15 yrs.

SECOND FLOOR.

Souvenir for all boys accompanied by parents. Base Ball and Bat with every Cloth Suit purchased.

Attractive new styles in spring dresses, sizes 2 to 14 years. In gingham, rep and percale, showing striking combinations of checks, plaids, stripes and plain colors. Long-waisted effects, with tulle and pleated skirts, including Novelty Jumper Dresses.

Children's Easter COATS, \$2.98

Worth up to \$5.00

A group of handsome new models that will appeal to both mother and child. In all-wool serge and shepherd checks. Silk, cloth or pique collars and cuffs. Many have pockets in belts. Choice of navy, tan and Copenhagen. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Children's Tub Dresses, 98c

Attractive new styles in spring dresses, sizes 2 to 14 years. In gingham, rep and percale, showing striking combinations of checks, plaids, stripes and plain colors. Long-waisted effects, with tulle and pleated skirts, including Novelty Jumper Dresses.

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